

REMARKS

This application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Notice of Allowance dated March 6, 2009. Claims 1, 2 and 6 to 10 remain pending in the application, of which Claims 1 and 2 are independent. Reconsideration and further examination are respectfully requested.

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for the indication that Claims 1, 2 and 6 to 10 are allowable over the art of record. Claims 1 and 2 have been amended herein for clarity, and while it is believed that the amendments do not affect the scope of the claimed invention that was allowed, the changes are being made herein rather than being submitted with a Rule 312 Amendment in order to better ensure consideration by the Examiner. Thus, the claims are still believed to be allowable over the art of record and passage to issue is respectfully requested.

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